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GREAT VIOLINIST COMING TO O. A. C.

GERMAN MASTER TO BE ON FACULTY OF SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

BEST SCHOOL IN THE WEST

O. A. C. School of Music Has Exceptionally Strong Faculty, and Superior Work of Last Year to Be Surpassed This Year.

The strength and efficiency of the O. A. C. School of Music has not been questioned, so far as is known, but it is now absolutely beyond question by anyone—the faculty numbering among its members this year one of those foreign “artistes” with an unpronounceable name. That was absolutely the only thing lacking last year; we had the artist with the hyphenated name, another great enough to spell his name with some of the useless letters dropped off, and the man who had played before and for Kings, Queens and Irish countesses, but the top-liner, the real “it,” was missing. He comes this year and will arrive soon, already, yet. His name is Hans, but he is not one of the Katzenjammers. He spells his name thus: “Pospischil,” and for the correct pronunciation the reader is advised to pucker the mouth for a whistle, cough instead, and sneeze twice, all the time thinking of chili sauce. \$25 will be paid to the first person making a successful stab in this matter of pronunciation.

Really Big Fellow.

Speaking seriously, the school of music of the Oregon Agricultural college has obtained Hans Pospischil, former concert master royal opera orchestras at Nuremberg and Berlin, to give instruction in the theory and practice of violin playing and in harmony, counterpoint theory and orchestration. Mr. Pospischil has studied with the distinguish-

LEECH TO GO

The Corvallis public was grieved this morning to learn that D. H. Leech, pastor at the M. E. church the past two years, had been transferred to Grants Pass. The change came as a very great surprise for the Methodist congregation was unanimous in the desire for Mr. Leech's return. His work has been highly successful and he was universally liked. The Oregonian says one A. R. McLean will fill the Methodist pastorate here, while a phone message to this office says F. A. Nicholl is to be the new man. We are inclined to feel that the Oregonian has it straight.

ed masters in Germany and elsewhere abroad, is a highly accomplished composer, and a scholar who will be a distinctly valuable acquisition to the musical forces of Oregon. Mr. Pospischil will arrive in Corvallis about September 20, and will immediately prepare to organize a large orchestra in O. A. C. His family will follow in a few weeks.

Another Addition.

Another valuable addition to the faculty of the school of music is in the person of May Babbitt-Ressler, pianiste, pupil of Arthur Foote of Boston, a teacher of pianoforte already successful in Oregon and a brilliant and authoritative performer. Mrs. Babbitt-Ressler will give instruction in pianoforte playing, and will organize and instruct a class in the pedagogy of public school music.

The director of the O. A. C. school of music, W. F. Gaskins, recently returned from the east where he coached with J. D. Mehan and Joseph Baernstein-Regnas in New York, L. G. Gottschalk in Chicago and J. C. Wilcox in Denver, all eminently successful masters of voice culture and singing. Mr. Gaskins earned emphatic praise from these masters for his “splendid ringing voice,” “quick and accurate intelligence” and “fine physique,” all qualifications necessary to the successful singer and teacher. Under Mr. Gaskins' direction the school of music prospered last year as never before in the history of the college, and the prospect for the coming year is distinctly favorable for increased attendance and success.

There Are Others.

Other instructors who will remain in the school of music faculty and whose work has been especially successful are Genevieve Baum-Gaskins, soprano and organist, pupil of Karlton Hackett and Wilhelm Middleschulte, of Chicago; William Robinson Boone, pupil of Hans Schneider, E. E. Truette and G. E. Hill of New York City, who is, by permission of the O. A. C., filling the position of organist at Dr. Dyott's church in Portland, and Harry Beard, bandmaster, instructor in wind and brass instruments, who is so well and favorably known throughout the state. Arrangements are being perfected for the employment of a skilled instructor in mandolin, mandola and guitar playing, who will also develop the college mandolin club.

No expense is being spared to offer the students of O. A. C. the best obtainable instruction in music.

NEW MILL NOW BEING BUILT

TWO BUILDINGS UP; CONSTRUCTION WORK BEING PUSHED.

WILL EMPLOY 40 TO 75 MEN

Gerlinger & McCready Enterprise Will Operate Under Name of Corvallis Lumber Manufacturing Company—Location of Mill.

Things are doing on Mary's River flat. The Corvallis Lumber Manufacturing Co. has erected two buildings there and is now engaged in putting up the big mill. Far out on the point of land formed by the junction of the Willamette and Mary's rivers, the first timbers are in place, these being for the long runway from Mary's river, down which logs will be floated and then hoisted. The first construction work is substantial, the timbers being very heavy and set upon cement foundation. The indication is that Messrs. Gerlinger and McCready are building for permanency. The work done at this time indicates that the mill will be of size sufficient to make Corvallisites feel good. The work yet to be done will be pushed rapidly now, and the promise is that the new industry will be in operation in less than two months. It is expected that the new mill will employ from forty to seventy-five men, and already some of their expert help from the Black Rock country is here. Several houses for officials and employes are being built. The

mill will prove a great addition to Corvallis. With two fine mills in operation, Corvallis is indeed fortunate.

A REALLY BIG MUSICAL SHOW

“The Time, The Place and The Girl” at the opera house next Monday night, promises to be the best musical production seen here in a very long time. The company is composed of fifty high-class musical comedy stars, there are fifteen distinct musical numbers on the program, and the chorus is unequalled for its beauty, costumes and singing. Corvallis is the only town in Oregon, outside of Portland, to be favored with a visit of this company; they appear at The Bungalow Theater the last three nights of the current week. They leave Corvallis by special train after the performance Monday night, to catch the overland at Albany, going direct to Chico, Calif. The Opera house should be crowded to the doors, and it surely will be. The reserved seat sale opens Friday morning at Graham & Wortham's Drug Store.

OVER THE STATE

Paving is going on at Ashland for \$2.27 a square yard.

Cottage Grove comes to the front with \$150,000 in bonds for water and streets. It pays.

Roseburg has just completed one school building and needs another, which will be provided next.

It pays to plant shade trees. They increase the beauty of the landscape, attract buyers and return value various ways.

COLLEGE OF PHIL- OMATH TO OPEN

SCHOOL BURNED SEVERAL YEARS AGO RESTORED TO LIFE.

SPECIAL OPENING SERVICE

United Brethren School to Serve Students as of Yore—Has Fine New Building and Will Have Capable Faculty to Instruct.

After being suspended for three years, owing to the loss of its building by fire, the College of Philomath is now ready to resume operations in a new building recently completed.

The first semester will begin Tuesday, September 28. Preliminary exercises will be held in the college auditorium Sunday, September 26. At 11 a. m. Rev. A. J. Ware, college pastor, will deliver the Convocation sermon; at 7:30 p. m. the local Christian Endeavor Society of the First United Brethren church will deliver an educational programme.

Big Speaker Coming.

The annual convocation will occur Monday evening at 7:30. The address of the occasion will be delivered by Hon. Grant Corby, of Salem. An important feature of the programme will be the inauguration of President-elect Kindel. Miss Marie Cathey, instructor of music in the college, will render two musical numbers. The convocation will be followed by a reception to President Kindel, under the joint auspices of the alumnal association and the local Christian Endeavor society. The Executive Committee and

President R. S. Kindel have had frequent business conferences during the past four weeks, to adjust the work for the opening of college.

Corvallis Girls in Faculty.

Miss Georgia White, of Corvallis, has been chosen as Principal of the Business Department, and Miss Marie Cathey as director of the Music Department. Miss White, after completing the work of the Corvallis public schools, accomplished two years' work in the Household Science course of the O. A. C. Last September she matriculated in the Eugene Business College and completed a nine months' course in business, short hand and typewriting. Immediately after graduation, she secured a position as book-keeper and stenographer with the Benton County Lumber Company. The manager of the company speaks in highest praise of her proficiency as an accountant, emphasizing especially her accuracy and her mastery of detail.

Miss Cathey is well known in the musical circles of Corvallis through her frequent appearances at musical recitals and at college assembly. She has high ideals of musical efficiency and withal an ambition to excel in her vocation. The management of the College of Philomath can bespeak to those under the instruction of Miss Cathey in music a training that will be in every particular thorough and with respect to technique up-to-date.

There is no doubt that the assessments of real estate in Portland are away below the figures for which it is selling. One piece of property sold a few days ago for half a million is assessed for \$77,350. Another offered for a quarter of a million to the city is listed at less than \$84,000 by the assessor. There are probably hundreds of such instances. It would not take many to equal the entire assessed value of any one of several counties in Oregon.

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SECOND FLOOR

Palace Theater

Monday and Tuesday

**Walters Stock Co.
Of Four People**

The opening bill will be a roaring comedy, bordering on married life, entitled

“MRS. MOUSER”

Or a Discontented Woman

CAST

Mr. Marmaduke Mouser, the hus-
band.....F. A. Walters
Mrs. Mouser, the wife.....
.....Mrs. F. A. Walters
Mr. Crummy, the cousin.....
Betsey Baker, the landlady.....
.....Miss Julia Summers

SYNOPSIS.

Mrs. Mouser's residence, New York.
—The plot and the outcome.

TIME—THE PRESENT.

Next attraction

“All's Well That Ends Well”

A Comedy.

New Motion Pictures

**“The Great Automobile Race
At Crown Point, Ind.”**